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HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1900.

Rubber Shoes.

This weather calls for them and we have the only stock in town that is anything like complete. You will

Save Time by Coming
DIRECT
To Our Store.

We have some Odds and Ends
in Rubbers at

Half-Price,

But first-class, desirable goods are
a little higher than last winter.

J. H. Anderson & Co.

CUT PRICES

All this month and until
the 15th of next.

JUST ADDED

A lot of Ladie's OXFORD
TIES.

BURNETT & QUARLES,
Successors to
PETREE & COMPANY.

GREEN'S RACE.

How He Threw Dust in the Eyes
of Old Stagers.

Won His Race Before the Drop-
ping Ballot was Reached—
How They Voted.

On the third and final ballot, the vote for prison commissioner, in the Democratic caucus, was as follows: For Green—Senators Allen, Bell, Carter, Crenshaw, Frazier, Furrish, Harrel, Jones, Triplett, Utley, Voiera, Welch, and Representatives Abele, Armstrong, Baird, Berry, Bell, Berry, Bell, Booker, Cantrill, Charlton, Collopy, Conrad, Crawford, Denton, Fian, Greene, Grider, Hance, Henny, Hickman, Holland, Klair, Leiterle, McKinney, Mimms, Mueller, Nickell, Renick, Sledge, Stephens, Terrell, Traver, VanMeter, Watkins—total 45.

For George—Senators Coleman, Farris, Ferguson, Gillespie, Johnson, McConnell, Puryear, Thomas, Watson and Representatives Alexander, Barton, Baisley, Brown, Cochran, Cox, Egbert, Hinton, Holt, Lafferty, Lyon, Money, Nelson, Orr, Perkins, Rawlings, W. C. Ray, William Ray, Rose, Sharp, Shawler, Stith, Stout, Swan, Weatherford, Willingham, Trimble—total, 36.

Then came changes from George to Landrum, but they stopped as soon as it became apparent that the Green votes were going to stick.

Well Known in Louisville.

Mr. Geo. V. Green, of Hopkinsville, was nominated last Wednesday by the Democratic legislative caucus for Prison Commissioner, to succeed Mr. George, whose term has expired. Mr. Green is well known to a number of our readers as a farmer and breeder of fine Jersey cattle. He is a first-class gentleman and his selection over two such worthy and popular opponents as Messrs. George and Landrum is a compliment of which Mr. Green and his friends are justly proud. Mr. Green will make a good officer.—Farmers Home-Journal.

With Votes to Spare.

In the Democratic caucus yesterday at Frankfort, Mr. George V. Green, the widely known Jersey cattle breeder and excellent citizen, was nominated for Prison Commissioner to succeed Mr. George, who drew the two years term when the Commissioners entered upon their service as such. Mr. George, Mr. Green and Mr. Landrum were candidates and all received a good vote to start on, but the crisis was soon reached, and Mr. Green won with forty-five votes to thirty-nine for Mr. George.—Bowling Green Times.

WHITTAKER-CHOATE.

Sunday Marriage Of Popular People Near Kelly.

Mr. H. T. W. Whittaker and Miss Carrie Choate, a popular couple living near Kelly, were united in marriage at 10 o'clock a. m., Sunday. The happy event took place at the home of the bride and was witnessed by a large number of the friends of the young people. Rev. James Coleman, of the Baptist church, performed the ceremony.

CHANGES COLOR.

Bright Mulatto Woman at Elizabethtown Turned Black.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Feb. 25.—A negro woman, Ada Cralle, whom Dr. Geo. W. Waddle has been attending for the last two weeks, has in that period of time turned from the color of a bright mulatto to the blackest black of an old-fashioned Guinea negro. She has never been sick before and the physicians are unable to account for the change of

GRAND JURY

Empaneled With J. F. Garnett as Foreman.

Court Starts Off With a Heavy Docket and a Crowded Jail.

The spring term began yesterday with Judge Cook on the bench.

There are about 600 cases on the docket and the session of six weeks will be a busy one. Of these 400 are equity and common law and 112 appearances. The rest are continued commonwealth cases.

There are 12 prisoners in the jail awaiting action by the grand jury and that body will have a good deal of work to do.

The grand jury was empaneled and instructed by the court. It is a fine body of men, being made up as follows:

J. F. Garnett, foreman, E. A. Stowe, T. B. Booker, Press Fox, W. R. Smithson, Jesse Bass, J. A. Browning, Geo. M. Steele, P. N. Haddock, W. H. Butler, J. G. Hord, Edgar Bradshaw.

Court adjourned at noon until this morning, when the petit jury will be made up.

HEIRS TO FORTUNE.

White Brothers Left a Million Dollars by Rich Uncle.

Ed White, the well known stone mason who has been making his home in the Pembroke neighborhood for years, has just been apprised of the fact that he and his two brothers, one of whom lives in Cincinnati, O., had fallen heir to a fortune of \$1,000,000, left by an uncle who died in Ireland. It seems that their relative died about six years ago, leaving the large estate, and although every effort had been made to locate the lawful heirs, it was not until a few days ago that their whereabouts were established. Mr. White left at once for Cincinnati and he, accompanied by his brothers, will shortly leave for Ireland to look after their handsome estate.

MISS HELEN HALL.

Death of a Popular Young Lady Friday.

Miss Helen H. Hall, oldest daughter of Mr. Andrew Hall, died Friday after a protracted illness, of consumption. She was a popular and lovable young lady and leaves a large circle of friends to mourn her untimely death. She was about 24 years of age and a consistent member of the Methodist church. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. K. Piner Sunday afternoon at the family residence on South Campbell street. Interment at Hopewell cemetery.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Christian Church Will Hold Special Services.

The congregation of the Christian church will on next Sunday be called upon to make the annual offering for foreign missions. Sunday as a preparatory service several addresses were made by Dr. J. A. Young, Prof. A. C. Kuykendall, C. H. Bush and others. At 3 p. m. Dr. W. K. Piner preached by invitation a special sermon and to-morrow night Dr. C. H. Nash will also deliver a sermon on the same subject in the Christian church.

ASYLUM PATIENT.

Dies At The Institution—Remains Taken to Owensboro.

Eli Birkhead, an asylum patient, died Friday night of pneumonia, aged 64 years. He had been in the institution for some time. The remains were shipped to Owensboro, his old home, Saturday, for interment.

THE GREAT

WHITE FAIR

GOES ON
TILL THURSDAY
IT'S BARGAIN CHANCES GROW
BETTER DAILY.
REMEMBER
IT LASTS BUT THREE DAYS LONGER.

Bassett
WRECKERS OF HIGH PRICE

FOUR CASES.

Smallpox Patients at Kelly Station in Advanced Stage.

There are four cases of smallpox at Kelly station. Dr. Banks was called to Kelly Friday to examine the patients and the cases were pronounced well developed, in fact they are in the advanced stage. Two of the victims are members of Mr. J. M. Kistner's family and the other two are negroes. There have been several other cases in that neighborhood, but the patients are now up and going round.

TWO PENSIONS.

Ones For Carl And The Other For Garrettsburg.

Among the pensions granted Kentuckians last week were for parties in this county. Francis M. Cowan, of Carl, was granted an original pension of \$6 per month, and Henry Reeves, of Garrettsburg, gets one for a similar amount.

CITY COURT.

Numerous Additions To The Work House Gang.

Wm. Jackson, col., b. p., work house 16 days.

Wm. Jackson, col., same, same.

John L. Clark, drunk and carrying a concealed deadly weapon, fined \$32. Replevied.

Sylvia Wood, col., b. p., fined \$5 and costs.

Sink Coffey, disorderly, \$12.

Frank Whitlock, col. b. p. fined \$6.

Martha Bowles, col., same, same.

YOUNGEST BRIDE AND GROOM.

Ella N. Harris, Aged 14, And Arthur L. Lovejoy Were Wed.

The youngest bride ever married at Clayton, Mo., was Miss Ella N. Harris, who became the wife of Arthur L. Lovejoy Thursday. She is only 14 years old and is the daughter of Edward F. Harris, a painter, living at 6532 Bradley avenue. The bridegroom has not reached his majority. The young couple were accompanied to Clayton by the father of the young woman and by Col. Jack Pipkin of Old Orchard, the guardian of young Lovejoy. The ceremony was performed by Judge Hirsch.

Entertained Croftonians.

Prof. H. M. Willis, of Indiana, the impresario and character delineator, gave an entertainment at Bowling's Hall, Crofton, last night. He had a good house.

EASTERN WOMEN.

Street-Car Track at Salem Willows, Mass., Cleared by Indignant Ones.

Salem, Mass., 23.—The women of Salem Willows, a summer resort a few miles from here, to-day appeared on the streets with above and at once set to work to dig out the Dynn & Boston electric road, which has been snowed up for some days. Most of those who attended the meeting of the Women's Whist club last night had to walk about 600 feet through the snow before getting to the cars and their action to-day was the result of resolutions to the effect that if the street railway did not clear the tracks they would do it themselves. They worked late afternoon and completely cleared the track.

GUTHRIE-STEWART

Trigg Furnishes Groom For Wedding Near Gracely.

A wedding took place in the Gracely neighborhood Sunday, the contracting parties being Mr. Reuben Rosa Guthrie, of Trigg county, and Miss Jessie Stewart, daughter of Mr. S. J. Stewart. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Brown, at the home of the bride's parents. The groom is a prosperous young farmer and his bride is a very pretty and popular young lady.

FROM BENNETTSTOWN.

Movement of People, and Other Items of Interest.

Bennettstown, Ky., Feb. 21, 1900. ED. HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKIAN:—

We beg leave to contribute the following news items from our little town:

Miss Fannie Sydnor, of Lafayette, is visiting Miss Gertrude Wall.

Miss Rosa Perryman, who has been teaching near Princeton, will return to her home at this place next Friday.

Mr. W. H. Stevenson is at Dawson for his health.

Miss Josie Stevenson is visiting Mrs. J. T. Taylor, at Kentucky.

Miss Maggie Stevenson is visiting relatives at Herndon.

Mr. Robt. Southall, of Hopkinsville, spent Saturday and Sunday in Bennettstown.

The sad death of Mrs. Joe Story occurred last Saturday. She had been in poor health for some time, but her death was not expected. She leaves a husband, three single daughters and a married daughter, Mrs. Wadlington, and many friends to lament her loss. Obituary.

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Winter "Catarrh." Address Dr. Liars
n Columbus, Ohio.

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GREN CURED

Green men and old men can look back at
early manhood, with a sigh of remorse,
and regret life as "one of the boys." Has some-
thing in it terrible sin against nature, and
it almost always ends in death. The
MENT will positively cure all the follow-
ing:

**NERVOUS DEBILITY,
SLEET, SEMINAL WEAK-
NESS, MANHOOD, CONSUMPTION,
AND BLADDER DISEASES**

Weak or debilitated; green men say: no
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ble; sleep, dreaming and night sweats; re-
tardation of growth; urinary organs are weak;
impotence; loss of virility; various troubles
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When you go to Arkansas or Texas you can travel in comfort if you know how. Ask the ticket agent for a ticket via the COTTON BELT ROUTE and you can ride in a reclining chair car, without extra charge, and thus avoid the discomforts you would encounter in an ordinary car. The chairs are arranged so you can have a comfortable seat during the day and a good place to sleep at night. Each car is supplied with a ladies' dressing room and a gentlemen's smoker. The chairs are better about changing cars, for these cars run through from Memphis and Cairo to Texas without change. Direct connections are made at Cotton Belt junctions with trains for all parts of Texas, Arkansas, Territory, Oklahoma and the West.

If you are thinking of taking a trip, write and tell us where you are going and when you will leave, and we will tell you how much the ticket will cost, how to make it so you can make it in one line and connection, and anything else we can do that will help make your trip as comfortable as is traveling in the world. A TRIP TO TEXAS will be mailed free to any address.

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Traveling Passenger Agent,
85 Beale St. 107 West 67th St. (46)

E. W. LAUBAUM,
Ticket Agent and Trk. Agent,
87 West 67th St.

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Ayer's

Cherry Pectoral

is the cheapest medicine in the world for that cough of yours.

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by allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands,

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Diarrhoea Remedy. It always gives
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Three store houses in the Dryer

A. T. Moasis, Cincinnati, Ohio. *Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. postage*

1,000,000 DEATHS!

CHOLERA DURING THE LAST YEAR.

The Germs of This Fatal Disease
are Lurking Everywhere! Thousands
of Dollars Saved by

This Wonderful Discovery.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been lost to the poultry business on account of the devastation among the flocks, caused by cholera, roup, and other fatal diseases. There have been many remedies advanced, but none seem to be so successful as the American Poultry Mixture. This will cure chickens in the last stage of cholera and roup, and is excellent for gapes. Do your fowls suffer from violent diarrhea, drooping of the wings, stupor or excessive thirst? These are the first symptoms of cholera. Cholera is a germ disease and being infectious spreads rapidly through the entire flock. Take timely action. If you don't stop to experiment with unreliable or untried remedies. Use this mixture at once and the salutary measures they recommend. Cholera is a terrible disease but this remedy cures it every time. It is also guaranteed for roup, which can be told by hoarse breathing, swollen eyes, discharge at the nostrils, resembling catarrh. Fifty dollars is offered for any case that this cure will not cure. If some of your fowls are diseased it will prevent the rest from catching it. Try it. It is cheap, reliable and effective, a scientific preparation, guaranteed that three times as far as any other remedy; does more good than all of them combined. It is used and endorsed by the most experienced and largest breeders of pleio and fancy poultry in all parts of the world. The manufacturer guarantees every package or refund purchase money. If you don't get it, send American Poultry Mixture, he's behind the age. In that case send \$1.00 for sample box to American Mfg. Co., Terre Haute, Ind.

CROFTON CULLINGS.

Several Items From The Capital
of North Christian.

Crofton, Ky., Feb. 26.—Mr. Reuben Trotter has returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

Messrs. D. L. Crabtree and George Myran have gone to Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Ida Boxley, daughter of Mr. Julian Boxley, has been sick the past ten days with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mandy Gant, col., died at her home here last Thursday. Cancer of the stomach caused her death. She was 65 years old.

John Mart, a highly respected citizen who lived on the Ben West farm, near Fruit Hill, died on the 19th inst. after an illness of about three weeks of pneumonia. He was 50 years old and leaves a widow and eleven children.

NITRAM.

Dan Rice.

Dan Rice, the old circus clown, whose jokes are famous yet, and of whose antics the grandfathers of youngsters of to-day laughed, died at Long Branch Thursday night. He was seventy-seven years old and had been failing rapidly for several months. His proper name was Daniel McLaren and he was born in New York. Dan Rice was given by his father as a nickname after a famous clown in Ireland. In his career Rice made several fortunes, but he spent everything and died in comparative poverty. It was finishing a history of his life when he died.

"A Night In Chinatown."

The announcement that "A Night In Chinatown" will appear at Loblou's Opera House for the night of Thursday next, March 1, is the signal for great joy among the theatre-goers of this city, as it will afford the public an opportunity of getting an inkling of what the New York craze this season has been, tiring the action of the piece will be shown Ling Poo-Ching's Opium Joint, with the visitors hitting the pipe! A truly realistic scene that is enacted daily in New York City in the Chinese Quarters. The presenting company is average, the music, singing and dancing is superb and humorous specialities are introduced by a band of clever artists. The scenery and costumes are said to be magnificent.

ONE MORE MONTH

In Rough Weather Is the Prediction of Hicks.

Following is a summary of the predictions for March, as marked by the Hicks.

A very general and marked reaction to warmer weather may be expected by the 1st, attended by a low barometer and resulting in storms of lightning, thunder, wind rain and snow. By the 3rd or 4th a high barometer will have succeeded storm conditions and cold, fair weather will prevail. More storms of rain and snow will be progressive from west to east about the 8th to the 11th.

Disturbances normally due about the 11th will this month be delayed or prolonged until the 14th, 15th and 16th.

A marked blizzard and boreal storm over northern sections of this country need not surprise about the same time.

The cold weather following the disturbances described above will moderate during the first part of the Vulcan storm period, 17th to 22nd, and more marked storm conditions will return about the 19th to the 22nd.

Centering about the 25th and 26th change to warmer, falling barometer and more rain and snow will likely appear. Tropical storms over wide areas to southward, with conditions favorable to violent sleet and snow storms over northern and central parts of the country on and next to the last three days of March.

One of the most destructive sleet storms of the winter may be looked for over many northern sections at this time. April and May upon the whole, will bring favorable weather, but some Venus frosts and floods are to be feared in May.

Banquet Orator's Embarrassment.

At a dinner given by political club in New York recently, a man who is unusually young for one who has attained to such prominence in his profession, was for the first time in his life set down for a response to one of the toasts. When at last he was called on, his beardless face flushed and his manner was very embarrassed. Nevertheless he stood up and thus delivered himself: "Gentlemen, before I enter this room I had an excellent speech prepared. Only God and myself knew what I was going to say. Now God alone knows." And he sat down.

The greatest of life's failures is to have created anything by them.

You Can't Dodge Them

Did you ever try to dodge the rain-drops? Did not succeed very well, did you? It's just as useless to try to escape from the germs of consumption. You can't do it. They are about us on every hand and we are constantly taking them into our lungs.

Then why don't we all have this disease? Simply because these germs cannot gain a foothold in a strong throat and lungs. It's when these are weak that the germs master. The body must be well supplied with fat. The danger comes when the blood is poor and the appetite better and the weight increases. The whole body becomes well fortified and the germs of consumption cannot gain a foothold.

It's this nourishing, strengthening power of SCOTT'S EMULSION that has made it of such value in all wasting and exhausting diseases.

See ad on p. 41, Chicago, N.Y.

THE ELIXIR OF LIFE

Serum Treatment of Disease Comes Near
the Long-Sought-For Drug

Through the ages man has endeavored to get past the guardians of the tree of life, he has searched for the fountain of youth, he has studied to discover the elixir of life, and he has hoped at least to prolong his existence on earth, if not able to continue it indefinitely. The science of medicine has grown out of this instinct of self-preservation, and on it have been grafted superstitions and strange methods of treatment for the purpose of postponing if not defeating death.

From some 6,000 years ago we get fragments of writing by Hermes Trismegistus, who is involved in Egyptian legend and mythology, teaching that there are certain remedies for disease that have a tendency to prolong life, with the possibility of insuring earthly immortality. The Greek historian Zosimus, in his writings, referred to legends that would prevent the decay of the principle of life; but he died in the middle of the fifth century before Christ, when 50 years old. Then we have the Persian physician Rhazes, who delved deep into the mysteries of medicine and alchemy, and announced that he had found an elixir; but he died in his fifty-third year.

When we come down to Roger Bacon's day, early in the thirteenth century, we find him in the midst of varied experiments, working in his laboratory to discover a serum or other substance that will hold the life and energies of the human body. Throughout his many writings he refers to this fact, but he gives us nothing definite. Then we come to Alphonso, "the Astronomer," "the Wise," who died at the age of 63, feeling convinced that there was an elixir of life. Ponce de Leon believed in the existence of a fountain of youth, and sought it long. The wonderfully successful physician Paracelsus, at the beginning of the sixteenth century, thought he was on the trace of a panacea. Cagliostro, in 1783, professed to practise the art of making people young. But it is not until we arrive at Louis Pasteur that begin the discoveries of the serum treatment for the postponement of physical and mental waste by the destruction of disease germs in the human system.

In 1890 Dr. Robert Koch, announced that he had discovered the bacilli of consumption and that he had prepared a lymph that would arrest and prevent tuberculosis. His treatment has met with success and is being used and experimented with all over the civilized world.

How long man may live no scientist in our day has dared to predict, but it is certain that the average length of life is increasing. While the average length of life in the middle of the century was a little more than 32 years, it is now approaching 38 years, and while 20 years ago we had an average annual death rate of 26 for every 1,000 inhabitants, the rate is now about 21. The statistics of all civilized countries in which medicine is pursued as a science and in which hygiene has been promoted show this general prolongation of human life. True, there may not be a greater number of very old persons living in proportion to population, but there are now alive thousands who could not possibly have survived a few years ago. So much, at least, do we owe to serum and to other remedies, even though the elixir of life be not yet found.—N. Y. Herald.

The Australian Rabbit Question.

The Australian rabbit question is as far from extinction as ever. The latest illustration comes from Queensland, where the Central rabbit board, as a body, as its name implies, is entirely devoted to a solution of the great rabbit question—has just decided to discontinue the attempts at extermination by spreading chicken cholera among their furry foes, as the results have not borne out expectations. One more "remedy" is therefore added to the long list of failures. Poisoning by phosphorus has hitherto been found best upon grounds both of economy and effectiveness.—Westminster Gazette.

A New Cud

Some genius has designed a new cud for gentlemen's wear and a few have been shown at some of the New York haberdashers'. His idea is a double cuff, opening not only at the front, as does the ordinary cuff, but at the back, so that two sets of links have to be used with them. The idea is to use two sets that are entirely different in style, using one set of each pair on each cuff. They make a man's wrists gladden with jewels if one uses links with precious stones in them.

HIT BY A BUMPER.

Leg Broken—Head Hurt—Injuries
Not Necessarily Fatal.

Crofton, Ky., Feb. 24.—At Kelly this morning about 11 o'clock the south bound L. & N. local freight struck Seibert Warren, of Mt. Vernon, Ill., breaking one leg and badly bruising his head and back. The man was walking between the side track and main track and was hit by the bumper of the engine and knocked a considerable distance. Dr. S. H. Williams, of this place, was sent down at once to render the necessary surgical aid. Warren was taken to Hopkinsville on the afternoon train and placed in a boarding house. It is not thought that his injuries will prove fatal. Warren was making his way South and the supposition is that he failed to hear the approaching train, as the wind was blowing a regular gale at the time of the accident.

NITRAM.

Dr. Kiefer, the Gold Cure man, died 1 week, aged 64 years. His cure for drunkenness was discovered 20 years ago and the institution that bears his name was established at Dwight, Ill.

IN CENTRAL ASIA.

Remarkable Development of the Cotton
Industry in Turkistan.

Russian authorities in central Asia are proud of the remarkable development of the industry in their territories, but they are frank to say that further extension has its very definite limits. Comparatively few lands suitable for growing cotton remain unoccupied, and an increase of the irrigation systems is necessary if the limit is not to be reached within a few years. It is planned, therefore, to use more intelligently the water supply that comes down from the mountains into the Sir Daria river, as well as the Amu Daria, for this purpose. Grand Duke Nicholas, cousin of the late emperor, has one of these great works under way on the Sir Daria, not far from where the railway to Tashkend crosses the river, and the emperor himself, when his immense estates on the Murghab are fully developed by irrigation from the Sultan Bent dam, will be the greatest cotton planter in Transcaspiia. However, with all this work completed, and the production brought to its maximum, Russian statisticians calculate that the total cotton yield of central Asia, comprising with the khansates of Bokhara and Khiva, is not likely to pass 400,000 tons annually.

The varieties of American upland cotton most commonly grown in Turkistan are these known in the United States as New Orleans, Gossypium, Pomeroy, Texas, Dixon and Dunsmuir's mammoth prolific. The local Asiatic plant is grown in several distinct varieties, but in the grade it usually bears the name of the plant of its origin, as, for example, Tashkend and Kholand cotton. The number of irrigations varies with local conditions but there are usually two or three after sowing is in the field and one in the spring just before sowing. Autumn plowing is not generally practiced. Sowing is begun as early as the first of April, but the average season for sowing is nearer the end of the month.

The cotton crop is dependent upon exceedingly various causes, of which the condition of the weather in the autumn months is the most important. If the autumn is warm and there are no frosts the harvest may continue till December, but frosts in September reduce the quality and the quantity of the yield. In consequence of the greater frequency of these frosts the crops are not as certain in the northern cotton fields around Tashkend as in Persia. Rains are not a matter of concern to the planter, as the weather is usually clear and dry throughout the entire period of growth.

Modern agricultural implements are found even in those places where Russian cotton planters are settled. With the mass of the native population the omach and the karmen are still in use. The omach is a wooden plow of the simplest construction, with an iron plowhead, but without a moldboard. By harnessing bulls, horses or camels, and sometimes all three, to the long yoke, the omach is turned up to a depth of about one foot. It is heavy, inadequate and extravagant in labor, but it costs not more than a dollar, so the peasant can afford to use it, especially by repeated plowings. The karmen is a sort of hand-pick with which the natives do everything that a plow will not do.—(Translating White, in Chicago Record.)

BACKACHE is a symptom.

Something makes the backache and that something requires attention or the backache can never be permanently stopped. "I suffered for years with a long list of troubles," writes Mrs. C. KLECK, of Wells, Minn. (Box 151), to Mrs. Pinkham. "and I want to thank you for my complete recovery. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a wonderful medicine for women."

"I had severe female complaints causing terrible backache and nervous prostration; was dizzy most of the time, had headache and such a tired feeling. I now have taken seven bottles of your Compound and have also used the Sensitive Wash and feel like a new woman. I must say I never had anything help me so much. I have better health than I ever had in my life. I sleep well at night, and can work all day without feeling tired. I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound all the credit, for I know it has cured me of all my troubles. I would not do without your remedies for anything."

Mrs. E. FURTON, of Meade, Mich., writes: "Two years ago I was troubled with constant backache and headache and was very nervous. I resolved to try your medicine and took two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and on taking the third a tumor was expelled. I was a little frightened and sent for the doctor; and he said that it was fortunate for me that it came away. I got quite well after that and have your Compound alone to thank for my recovery."

Multitudes of women suffer constantly with backache. Other grateful multitudes have been relieved of it by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine.

WEARINESS OF BACKACHE

CRAVENS-PURDY.

IN COUNTY COURT.

Buck Took Unto Himself a Caldwell County Bride.

Will Probated—Circuit Clerk Starling Renews Bond.

It has just been learned here Mr. Buck P. Cravens, of Julien, and Miss Bertha Purdy, of Caldwell county, were recently married. The wedding took place at the bride's home, near Princeton, about two weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Cravens will make their home in Trigg county, near Cadiz.

Coroner R. B. Gibbs held an inquest on the body of Mrs. Hattie B. Downey, who died Wednesday evening in a tenant house on the farm of Abe Bonta, three miles from Harrodsburg, under strong symptoms of poisoning from arsenic. The jury found that the woman had been poisoned, but made no definite accusation against anybody. The woman's stomach will be analyzed.

Majah Brock, a feeble-minded resident, living just across the Fayette line from Clay's Ferry, Madison county, was found dead in a posture. It is supposed he was in a posture. It is supposed he was in a posture.

ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE.

Even Bright's Disease is no Longer Regarded as Hopeless.

If you are suffering from kidney, bladder or uric acid trouble, and have despaired of getting help, you should try Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. Every reader of the Hopkinsville KENTUCKIAN may obtain a sample bottle free by mail, so you may test it for yourself and fully realize the truth of what your friends and fellow citizens say as regards its marvellous efficacy and worth.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root has been tried and tested by thousands who stand high in this community. It is not recommended for everything, but if you have kidney, bladder or uric acid trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It brings back the rosy flush of health and strength; it is a purifier and rebuilds, and is a boon to the weak and ailing.

To be confronted suddenly with the knowledge that Bright's disease had held one's life at one time equivalent to hearing a death warrant read; but to-day, thanks to the discoveries of science and the researches of Dr. Kilmer, no case is entirely hopeless. Even those in advanced stages have been rescued and life prolonged by Swamp-Root.

This great remedy is purely vegetable and contains nothing that could harm the most delicate child. It is pleasant to take and the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes are sold by all druggists.

Send your name and address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and a sample bottle and a book telling all about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures will be sent to you free.

OPERA HOUSE

One Night Only,
THURSDAY, MARCH 1st

The Sensational Drama, story that appeals to the heart of every-one. A magnificent scenic production. Vividly realistic, and infinitely humorous. The play that sets the universal laughing.

A Night in Chinatown.

See the Real Opium Joint. The Hitting of the Pipe. The Realistic Snake Pit. The Chinese Orchestra. The Home of the Highlanders. Prices: 25c, 50c and 75c.

NASHVILLE
TO CHICAGO
P.P. JEFF
EVANSVILLE, IND.

Weather To-Day.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 26.—(Special.)—Partly cloudy to-night and Tuesday. Warm Tuesday.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—May wheat opened at 66½ closed at 68½. July wheat opened at 68½, closed at 69½. May corn opened at 35½, closed at 35. Cash wheat 64½.

HERE AND THERE.

—Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, 1015 Day Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Ham sacks for sale at this office. Former Adj. Gen. Collier is at home in Lancaster sick with a severe cold.

Mrs. W. W. Hazlip, who was injured in an elevator accident at Leitchfield, Ky., last Monday, died yesterday morning.

Ham sacks, all sizes, for sale at this office.

Born, to the wife of Mr. R. T. Burnett, a fine boy Saturday morning.

Nice lot of mules for sale at Renshaw's stable.

Wid. Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

Go to Renshaw's stable for fine mules. Nice lot on hand.

Glasgow voted "dry" Saturday. The women of the town held an all-day prayer-meeting while the voting was going on.

Call at this office and get your ham sacks. We carry all sizes, and sell at bottom figures.

A. W. Pyle's new stock of latest styles in furniture is worth looking through. You are requested to call and examine it. He will save you money.

Dr. J. A. Southall, residence South Virginia street, office over Hoppe Bros' store. Telephone: Residence 289, office 103-3.

The many friends of Miss Lady Coker will learn with great pleasure that she is able to be out again after a long spell of fever.

"I have always used Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills, and this is the best in the world," says Chas. Bender, a newsdealer of Ene, Pa.

All kinds of shoe repairing done on short notice by Jeff Morris, upstairs over Clark's grocery.

Embalming and undertaking day or night. Call me by telephone A. W. Pyle.

FOR SALE—My home and lot on South Walnut street.

J. R. McClure, Hopkinsville, Ky.

At Montgomery, Ala., Saturday 2500 bales of spot cotton, middling, were sold at 8 1/16 cents a pound. Preparations are being made for big crop this year.

Ham sacks, the best, at this office.

Buy your Shoes of Jeff Morris. He can fit you in any style with guarantee satisfaction. Or, Claude Clark's grocery.

Agents on salary of \$15.00 a week and expenses; the greatest agency ever produced; every stock and poultry raiser buys it on sight. Husbands wanted. Reference, Address, W. T. Cooper & Co., 207 South Main Street, Louisville, Ind.

W. L. Yancey, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in southern Kentucky treated me without success. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief. A three bottle course permanent. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."

Have your clothes made cleaned and repaired by Joe N. Fowright, Merchant Tailor, 7th street, opp. New Era office. The secret of getting a fit in your clothes is to get a practical tailor take your measure.

Do you want a key made, your locks repaired, a door bell put on, a show case repaired, mirror fixed, or any other job work done promptly and cheaply. Call on JACK, he has had 12 years experience in this line and knows just how to do it. Phone 165-3.

"Wanted.—Reliable, energetic salesmen to sell Lubricating Oil on Commission with a view to permanent salaried positions as soon as ability is proven. Reference: The Badell Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio."

Editor Frank Bell, who went to Memphis last week, has decided to accept the position offered him on the Commercial Appeal, and will remain in the great capital of the South.

YOUNG WIFE'S DEATH.

Consumption Claims a Victim Near Bainbridge.

Mrs. Adrian Cornelius, a daughter of Mr. Lucian P. Pool, of Bainbridge, died Friday of consumption. She leaves one child, a little girl eighteen months old. The funeral services were held the following day and the body was interred at the Cornelius burying ground near Sinking Fork.

"Lunette," The Flying Lady.

Is an attraction which is proving to be the most popular ever in the city Lunette is a hypnotic exhibition. She is a charming young lady, who floats in mid air, with no support whatever. She is first transformed into a condition of hypnosis or semi-comatose condition, and in obedience to the indications of the hypnotist she rises, descends, turns or flies. It is a remarkable demonstration and to prove that she is supported by no wires or strings, a hoop is passed about her. She will exhibit this week only commencing at 1 p. m. Admission 10c. Opera house building.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. T. M. Jones, of New York. Attorney Austin Peay, of Clarksville, spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. Dr. E. A. Chaffin, of Lexington, is in the city on a visit.

Miss Jessie Torian is spending a few days at Gracy, visiting relatives.

Mr. J. T. Wall has gone to the eastern markets to buy spring goods.

Mr. Jesse L. Edmundson and wife, of Sturgis, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. Henry G. Pettie, of Clarksville, was in the city on business yesterday.

Miss Ritchie Burnett has returned from a visit to friends in Owensboro.

Miss Kate Townes has returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Henderson.

Miss Evie Nash has returned from a visit of several weeks to friends in Mayfield.

Mr. T. L. Ganj has gone to New York to purchase spring stock for the firm of Gant & Slayden, of which he is a member.

Mrs. W. E. Pasmare, of Breckenridge, Colo., after a two month's visit to her brother, Mr. J. A. Radford, left for her home Sunday night.

Miss Johnnie Tucker, who has been on a visit to Mrs. John Clardy, near Gracy, for several weeks, returned to her home in Sewanee, Tenn., Friday.

Roy Ragadale came over from Henderson Friday to spend a few days with his family. Mr. Ragadale will in a few days move to Bowling Green to reside.

Senator S. B. Harrel, of Russellville, enroute from an official visit to the Eddyville prison with the Legislative Committee, spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Charlie Belle Baldwin, arrived in the city yesterday from Hopkinsville to visit her grandfather, Mr. G. W. Baldwin, who is quite ill.—Paducah News.

Rev. J. Dowell Fleming, of Memphis, Tenn., has been appointed Synodical Evangelist by the Synod of Memphis. Mr. Fleming is a Christian county boy, and his friends are very proud of him. They bid him God speed in his work.

The pupils of South Kentucky College gave a recital at the College Friday night and a most enjoyable entertainment was the result. It was well attended and following the literary and musical program the young people had a social reception.

Miss Phil Pointer, of Owensboro, has been chosen for sponsor of the Kentucky Division at the Confederate reunion in Louisville in May. She bears the name of a gallant confederate soldier, her father.

Piles of People

testify to the merit of Bauser Salve in curing piles. It is guaranteed. Sold by Anderson & Fowler.

Robt. W. Milligan and Miss Beattie D. Morris, of Louisville, who were secretly married last October, have just announced that they are man and wife.

Rubber Tires.

If you want to get real pleasure out of your evening drives, take your carriage to West & Lee, and have them to put on a set of their elegant rubber tires. They have the best equipped plant in the South and guarantee work and prices. Give home enterprise a chance.

WANTED OLD COUNTRY HAMS.

Will Pay
Highest
Market Price
For Delivery
At Once.

W. T. COOPER & CO.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
GROCERS.

Watts, Richards & Co.
SPOT CASH DEALERS IN
White Goods, Wash Goods, Silks, Laces and
Embroideries, Ladeis' and Gents'
Furnishing Goods.
A COMPLETE LINE
OF DRESS LININGS and ALL KINDS
OF YANKEE NO TIONS.
207 SOUTH MAIN STREET,
HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

A LITTLE FORESIGHT GOES A LONG WAYS

In business, and the further it sees the further it goes. The rapid advance of everything made of wood and iron convinced us early last season that Buggies and Carriages could not escape the universal tendency upward, consequently WE PLACED OUR CONTRACTS FOR 1900 LAST SUMMER, something we never did before. By this means we have a stock of between 200 and 300.

Buggies, Phaetons, Surreys and Traps,

On which we have saved from \$8.00 to \$20.00 a piece by buying before they had advanced one cent. We are going to make a present of this saving to the people of this and adjoining counties. An inspection of our stock and a comparison of our prices will convince the customers of the truth of the above statement. Our big steam heated repository is full and is so light and comfortable as to make it a pleasant place to visit.

Orders For Special Jobs Should be Placed Now,

So they will be made and thoroughly dry before using. We represent the finest carriage factories in this country. No matter how novel or how elegant a job you may want, we can furnish it and for far less money than city prices.

We also ask the favor of a visit to our new Wall Paper Show Room, steam heated and splendidly lighted.

WE HAVE A CAR LOAD OF WALL PAPER.

We spent a week in buying it—selected by the most tasteful judges of the line in this vicinity, and we state emphatically that we can sell you the finest paper on the market FOR HALF THE MONEY THAT Louisville, Nashville or Evansville would charge you for it. We employ the BEST PAPER HANGERS by the day and they have no inducement to slight the work. We sold paper last year twenty-five miles from Hopkinsville, and are now prepared to furnish all that is used in that territory.

FORBES & BRO.

Magnetic Healing.

The Weltmer method of Magnetic Healing is without doubt the most wonderful curative power known at the present age. No matter what your ailments may be or of how long standing, come and see us. Many cases thought for years to be incurable are yielding to the power of the methods we practice.

We treat any of the following diseases: Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Liver and Stomach Complaint, Diseases of the Kidneys, Heart Disease, Female Trouble of any kind, Nervousness, St. Vitus Dance, Paralysis, Arthritis, Consumption, Deafness, Diseases of the Eyes, Lost Vitality, Cancer, Tumors and Goitre, Sunken Chest etc.

Do not think your case is hopeless, but come and consult us.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Ladies do not suffer of neuralgia and sick headache. Cure of dropsy is guaranteed. We are here to stay and give our patients value received. Come and see at once. Office at Hotel Yancey.

Yours Respectfully,
Prof. Rahm & Spaitz.

For Sale.

500 bushels of white corn, 100 bushels white French artichokes, and a nice lot of Poland China pigs for breeding purposes at R. H. Brown's, 7th & main west of Hopkinsville, Mo. 1000.

COLE'S Air Tight Heaters —AT— LAST YEAR'S PRICES.

Let us put one
in your house
TO-DAY.

THOMPSON & BASSETT. Monuments.

It is nonsense to believe that you can buy of some agent as cheap as you can of your home shop, where you get the best marble and granite at the lowest possible price. If you will call and see our work and get our prices you will find yourself well paid for the trouble. Yours truly,

ROBT. H. BROWN,
7th and Virginia Streets, Hopkinsville, Ky.